PLAYED IN THE WET

PITTSBURGS LOSE THE FOURTH GAME IN FOURTEEN.

Game Progresses Under Difficulties and i Finally Called in the Sixth Inning, With the Brooklyns Almost Two to One, What With Their Good Batting-Browns Also Lo Up the Beancaters in About the Same Style-Colts Win by a Close Shaves-Reds Saved in the Ninth-

P. March	Played	Tiron	T	Down
Club	1 tay od	WOR	Post	Lerc.
Fittsburg	. 14	10	4	.71
Cleveland	. 32	8	4	.667
Boston	. 11	7	4	,633
Chicago	. 14	8	6	.67
Baltimore	. 9	5	4	250
Brooklyn	. 11	- 6	5	.543
Cincipnati	. 15	8	7	100
New York	12	5	7	417
Louisville	12	- 5	7	417
Philadelphia	10	2	6	4/8
Washington	71	4	77	264
St Lanis	15	- 5	20	535

BROOKLYN 9: PITTSBURG 5. Pittsburg, May 7.—The game was almost stopped by rain and finally had be called on account of wet grounds. Spooklyn hit Hart hard in the four ined one inning and the Brooklyns scored two runs on him. Killen was then put in the box for the first half of the sixth inning and did not let a man reach first base. The game was then called, and brought back to even innings. At-

Clingman, Griffin, Lachance, Shock, Lucid. Hit by pitched ball—Beckley. Umpires—Murray and Long, Time 1:15.

St. Louis, May 7.—Good stick work by he Browns and numerous and costly errors by the Beaneaters secured today's game for the home team. Atten-

St. Louis 0 2 3 2 0 0 0 2 *-10 11 Boston0 0 0 1 2 2 1 0 0 - 6 14 6
Batteries-Staley and Peitz and Breit
enstein; Wilson and Ganzel. Earned
runs-St. Louis 4; Boston 4. Two basehits-Duffy. Tucker, Ely. Lyons, Connor. Three basehits-Cooley, Home run
--Lowe. Stolen bases-Peitz 3, Quinn,
Connor. First base on balls-Off Wilson
6; off Breitenstein 3, Struck out-By
Staley 1, Wild pitches-Wilson 1, Umpire-Emslie, Time 2:15. ..000122100-614 6

CHICAGO 10: WASHINGTON 9. CHICAGO 10; WASHINGTON 9.
Chleago, May 7.—After having what seemed to be a sure victory and after having batted Mercer out of the box in the fourth, the Colts went to pieces and came within an ace of being defeated. Everett and Stewart, however, came to the rescue in the ninth, the latter's long double scoring the winning tally. Attendance, 1,800. Score:

Chicago......0 2 3 4 0 0 0 0 1-10 13 : Washington ... 0 2 0 0 0 5 0 2 0-9 10 Washington ... 0 2 0 0 0 5 0 2 0 - 9 10 4
Butterles: Chicago-Terry and Dono
hue: Washington-Mercer. Mullarkey
und McGuire. Earned runs-Chicago 4;
Washington 5. Two baselits-Anson,
Lang. 2; Joyce, Stewart. Stolen bases-Lange, 2, Joyce, Stewart, Stolen bases— Lange, Everett, Terry, Coogan, Mc-Guire, Double plays—Terry, Dahlen and Anson. Struck out—By Mercer 2; by Terry 2; by Muharkey 5, Bases on bulls—Off Mercer 5; off Terry 6; off Mul-lankey 3. Hit by ball—Donohue. Um-pirs—McDonald. Time, 2:40.

CINCINNATI 7; NEW YORK 6. Cincinnati, May 7.—The Reds batted out the game in the ninth inning when they were two runs behind. Two bases on balls and three hits did the business Half of New York runs were scored on errors. Attendance, 3,700. Score: R H E

Cincinnati....120010003-796 New York....400000116-663 test" Joseph F. Nitschke
New York ... 4 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 - 6 6 5 3
Batteries/Cincinnati-Phillips, Rhines
and Merritt: New York—Meekin and
Farrell. Barned runs—Cincinnati 2;
New York 3. Two basehits—Hogriever,
Latham, Meeking, Tiernan, 2; Davis, 2
Stolen bases—Ewing, Miller, Burke,
Stafford, Tiernan, Double plays—
Farrell, Burke, Efrst base on balls—
By Rhines, 2; by Meekin, 7; by Phillips, Natives, Solo, "The Image of the Stafford, Tiernan, Double plays—
Farrell, Burke, Efrst base on balls—
By Rhines, 2; by Meekin, 7; by Phillips, Oration—"The Puritan and the Cav
aller" ... Robert Bruce Campbell
Wild pitches—Meekin. Umpire—Keefs.
Time, 2:00.

GAMES POSTPONED.
Cleveland, May 7.—No game; rain.
Louisville, May 7.—The Louisville—
Philladelphia game was called in the second inning today on account of rain.
Each team scored one run in the first inning.

Totalion—"The Oasis" ... Frank E. Adams
Oration—"The Oasis" ... Frank E. Receipts ... Condition in wheat and corn, The feeling in the market at the start.

The Meekin in the first oration—"A Crown of Thorns" ... Frank E. Adams
Oration—"The Oasis" ... Frank E. Receipts ... Condition in wheat and corn, The feeling in the market at the start.

The Meekin in the first oration—"The Oasis" ... Frank E. Adams
Oration—"The Sunbeam" ... Each of the corner of the process of 46,000 bushels and the Car

The Meekin of the feeling was revelously to 49½ cents, it reacted to about the opening fligures previous and feeders, previous and the Cav

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The Callos Historican from the Carlos of the New York.....400000110-6 6 3 Batteries; Cincinnati-Phillips, Rhines

Western Leauge Games. PEORIA 7: OMAHA 5. Omoha, May 7.-Score:

Omaha..... 2 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 5 Peoria...... 0 0 6 0 0 0 0 1 • 7 12 eoria.......... 0 0 6 0 0 0 0 1 - 7 12 7 Batteries-Eagen and Lehman; Them

ROCKFORD 10: ST. JOSEPH 6.

St. Joseph, May 7 .- Score: St. Joseph.... 1 2 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 - 6 8 3 Rockford.... 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 6 *-10 13 4 Batteries Stagel and Jones; Under-

wood and Snyder. INDIANAPOLIS II: DETROIT 2.

Detroit, May 7 .- Score:

QUINCY 12; LINCOLN 6.

Lincoln, Neb., May 7.-Score: Lincoln000101040-6105
Quincy200020504-12186
Batteries-Barnes and Sullivan; McGreary and Boland.

GRAND RAPIDS 17; TOLEDO 9. Grand Rapids, Mich., May 7.—Score: R H E Grand Rapids 0 0 10 4 3 0 0 0-17 15 3 Toledo3 0 2 0 1 0 0 1 2- 9 13 6 Batteries—Stafford and Fear: Dam-

mon, Roach and Gallagher. ST. PAUL 17: MILWAUKEE 4. St. Paul, May 7.-Score:

St. Paul...... 0 1 3 9 0 0 2 1 1-17 18 2 billwaukee 0 1 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 5 4 Batterics-Mulline, Pepper and Ber-er, Rettger, Armstrong and Bolan. KANSAS CITY 6; DUBUQUE 2.

Dubuque, Ia., May 7.—Score:



DEIELD REGULATOR CO., ATLANTA, GA.

Now Halma will be the favorite for the Amercian Derby at Chicago. "Scrappy" Joyce is very weak in his throwing, so far, and the Senators feel it badly.

Cincinnati only made three hits in two games at Pittsburg, one off Hart and two off Hawley. The prince of Monaca has joined the Touring club of France, which has a membership of nearly 11,000.

The Minnesota legislature has done two good acts in making a special law punishing bicycle thieves and allow-ing road racing on Decoration day. Last year the tax on bicycles in France amounted to \$700,000, this year it will be much larger, as cycling is in-creasing wonderfully in that country.

Lange, the big center fielder, looks strong enough to lift a freight car off the track. In his case appearances are deceptive. Lange has a weak back; he wears a rubber walst every time he plays ball.

The chances are that neither Brouthers nor McMahon will be retaind on the Baltimore pay roll. Carey will play first base, his fielding being much bet-ter than "Big Dan's." McMahon's arm seems to be gone beyond recovery.

Is it possible that Pittsburg really a great team, or have the Pirates been lucky and playing ahead of r speed? The test will now be at hand, as they have started against the eastern crack teams, and are doing well.

"Fatty" Childs is batting great this year. McPhee and Pfeffer have a slight hunch over the fat boy in fielding but "Fatty" holds every second baseman in the league safe when it comes to batting. What would Cleveland have done without him. Where will Corbett and Fitzsim mons fight now? The Florida legisla-ture has made it a felony and the su-preme court has decided against the

clubs in New Orleans. Guess neither one of them care to put on stripes after the fight. They will have to fight in one of the buil rings in Old Mexico. It is reported that Uncle Anson is sour on Ace Stewart, the Solt's great second baseman, because President Hart bought him fron the Sioux City team without consulting him; and as he was not discovered by Uncle Anson, he was not discovered by Uncle Anson, he prefers Jiggs Parrott, who was dis-covered by the big captain. I can't be-lieve the report, as Uncle Anson is too old a general to let this sort of jealousy creep in and bias him in selecting his timber.

LIST OF THE LUCKY. Who Will Graduate From High

School and Program. The commencement exercises of the

high school will take place at the auditorium on Wednesday evening, at 7:30 sharp, May 22. The previous Sunday baccalaureate sermon will be preached at the First Methodist church by Rev. Don S. Colt, the hour fixed being 10 o'clock.

The program is as follows:

High School Chorus
Oration—"Instinct and Intelligence
of Animals ... Kitty Inez Jackson
Oration—"Seeking for Truth".....

Oration—"The Sunbeam".
Frank E. Adams
Oration—"The Oasis".
Viola May Carlton
Oration—"Differences". Rose Prosser
Misic—"By Babylin's Wave". Gounod
High School Chorus. Oration-"Special Providence

Oration—To Be, or not to Be"... Cornelia Pendleton Cogdell Oration—The youngest Apostle of

Oration—"The youngest Apostle of
the Youngest Science"...
William D. Hatton
Oration—"A Reverie". Elna Witherell
Oration—"The Young Man"...
Roy LeValley Torrey
Oration—"For Cap and Bells Our
Lives we Pay"... Lulu Hatton
Music—"Mice in Council"... Filby
High School Chorus.
Oration—"Foot Prints"

High School Chorus.

Oration—"Foot Prints".

George West Philleo
Oration—"The Star in the East".

Josephine Malcolm Vennard
Oration—"Butterflies".

Loretta Williams
Oration—"American Citizenship".

Guy M. Truex
Oration—"The American Girl".

Clara Bowen
Music—"Blue Bells of Scotland".

Arr. by Buck

Benediction.

No flowers or presents will be given in the auditorium. The following is the class roll: The following is the class ton College Preparatory—Harry G. Hoare, Course West Clarie Edwin Kracaw, George West Philleo, Limie Stahl, Ray LsValley Torrey, Jesephine Maisoim Vennard, Latin Course—Clara Bowen, Flora

Latin Course—Clara Bowen, Flora Leona Carpenter, Viola May Carlton, Ada Belle Gathrie, Kitty Inez Jackson, Mary McCulliugh, Mary Helena McNess, Rose Prosses, Ella Rickards, Addet Thomas, Mary Kate Mun.

Latin-English—Frank Adams.

Latin-German—Elvin O. Baker, William Hatton, Gertrude Hessey Swain, Rachel Letitia Sharon.

German Course—Knight W. Joles, Henry G. Koogle, Bertha Beatrix Noyes, Joseph F. A. Nitschke, Cornelia Pendelton Cogdell, Robert Bruce Campbell, Charles Busselle Campbell, Vester Charlton.

English Course-Florence Buckeridge, Everett Bachtel, Laura May Had-ley, Llulu Hatton, Edna Kirkwood, Maud Matthews, Clarence Means, Guy M. Truex, Loretta Williams, Elna Witherell, Catherine Maud McCanless.
In the evening an alumni banquet will be given at the Carey hotel.

WHEAT ADVANCES ON THE WORLD'S VISIBLE DECREASE.

Other News of the Day is of a Bearish Na ture Except the Kansas Crop Report-German Cables are a Factor in the Ad Wheat Shows it a Few Capers, Which it Forthwith Imitates-Oats Acquires Strength Near the Close--Provisions Unchanged--Grain Shipments.

Chicago, May 7 .- After a sharp break

today wheat went up with a bounce, encouraged by a big world's visible decrease, and July closed 1 cent higher. July corn gained 1% cent; July oats 4 cent and provisions closed unchanged There were a great many buying orders for wheat at the start. The ca-bles brought lower quotations from abroad; the country was still being wet down in an irregular way by the numerous thunder storms and primary market receipts continued to belie the theory of any much greater scarcity behind the visible supply than usual at this season of the year. About the only bullish feature in the early news was the report of the Kansas agricultural bureau. That reported II per cent smaller acreage sown last fall than on the year before and of that reduced acreage the report said that 33 per cent had been rendered practically useless. The recipts at Minneapolis and Du-luth were 289 cars compared with 228 cars a year ago. Primary market re-ceipts were 271,000 bushels against 259,000 bushels on Tuesday of last week and 167,000 on the correspoding day of the year before. Export clearances of wheat and flour for twenty-four hours from the Atlantic seaboard amounted to 242,000 bushels. By special cable to the board of trade, the Argentine shipments for the week were given as 1,-840,000 bushels, and those of Russia at 3,750,000 bushels. The temper of the crowd was very bullish until after the receipts of Bradstreet's statement of the week's changes in the world's visithe week's changes in the world's visi-ble supply and that proving to be a de-crease of 4,100,000 bushels instead of only \$2,500,000 decrease, as had been calculated upon, it turned the general sentiment and the eyes of traders from their previously too exclusive contemplation of the bearish features of the situation. Then it became known that it had been arranged to ship two cargoes of wheat from here to Toledo, and goes of wheat from here to Toledo, and that still further increased a desire to buy, which the Bradstreet's statement had started. New York reported about the same time that nearly 200,000 bushels had been sold there destined for a German port and, that coming at the same time with an advance of from 1 mark to 1½ marks quoted from Berlin, there was a repetition on an enlarged scale of the bullishness which characterized the market at the opening July opened at from 62% cents up to 62% cents as compared with 82½ cents sellers at the close yesterday. During most of the forenoon the tendency was to get rid of the advance. It sold off to 61% cents in an irregular manner, but generally recsovered to around 62½.

St. Louis, May 7.—Butter—Weak: separator creamery, 15 cents; fancy Elsin, 20c. Egiss—Steady; fresh, 9c. Whiskey—Firm, 31.22 for distillers' finished goods. Lead, \$2.87½. Spelter, \$1.1562.17½. Cotton ties and bagring—Steady and unchanged. Pork—Standard mess, 540; choice. \$5.55. Dry salt meats (boxed)—Shoulders, \$5.55. Dry salt meats (boxed)—Shoulders, \$5.55. bry salt meats (boxed)—Sho

STACKS A CENT ON the following changes in available stocks last Saturday as compared with the preceding Saturday. Available supplies, United States and Canada east plies, United States and Canada east of the Rocky mountains, wheat, decrease 4,283,600 bushels. United States, Pacific coast, wheat, decrease 405,000 bushels; total decreast, wheat, 4,688,000 bushels. Afloat for and in Europe wheat increase 584,000 bushels; total decrease in world's available wheat, 4,104,000 bushels. United States and Canada, east shels. United States and Canada, east of the Rocky mountains, corn, decrease 1,540,690 bushels; United States and Canada, east of the Rocky mountains, cats, decrease \$51,690 bushels. Leading decreases in the available supply of wheat last week, not accounted for in the official available supply, include 395,000 bushels in Northwestern Interior electrons, 70,600 bushels at Ordenshure. clevators; 70,600 bushels at Ogdensburg; 56,000 bushels at Fort Williams; 40,000 bushels at Newport News; 35,000 bushels at New Orleans and 33,000 bushles at St. Joseph and Pittsburg.

st. Louis Grain.

St. Louis May 7.—Receipts—Flour, 22.000; wheat, 12.000; corn, 10.000; oats, 35.000.
Shipments—Flour, 6.000; wheat, 72.000; corn 64.000; oats, 4.000. Flour—Dull, firm; patents, \$2.3562.50; extra fancy, \$2.662.15; fancy, \$2.7562.50; extra St. Louis Grain.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, May 7.—Wheat—One-half cent lower; No. 2 hard, 624c; No. 2 red, 5345961; rejected, 69c. Corm—Slow; 14314 cent lower; No. 2 mixed, 4464444c; No. 2 white, 48c. Oats—Half and one cent lower; No. 2 white, 30631c. Rye—Pirm; No. 2, 62c. Bran—Firm, 70672c. Hay—Steady; timothy, 8,0062.35; prairie, 17,006 8,50. Butter—Weak; unchanged. Eggs—Steady, 114c. Steady, 115c.

St. Louis Produce.

St. Louis May 7.—Rutter—Weak: separator creamery, 15 cents; fancy Elgin, 26c. Eggs—Steady; fresh, 3c. Whiskey—Firm, \$1.22 for distillers' finished goods. Lead, \$2.87\(\frac{1}{2}\), Spelter, \$3.15\(\frac{1}{2}\), 17\(\frac{1}{2}\), Cotton ties and bagging—Steady and unchanged. Pork—Standard mess, jobbing, \$12.00. Lard—Prime steam, \$4.00; choice, \$5.55. Dry salt meats (boxed)—Shoulders, \$5.55. longs, \$5.12\(\frac{1}{2}\); ribs, \$6.25; shorts \$6.27\(\frac{1}{2}\). Bacon (boxed)—Shoulders, \$5.75; longs, \$5.65\(\frac{1}{2}\); shorts, \$5.75; longs, \$6.60\(\frac{1}{2}\); shorts, \$5.87\(\frac{1}{2}\).

scoured 30@33 cents. Australian comb-ings superfine scoured 41@42 cents. Australian combing average 35@37

London Auction Sale London, May 7 .- At the wool auction sales today 14,552 bales were offered, of which 2,300 were withdrawn. The attendance was fair and the selection tendance was fair and the selection offered was good. Prices are hardening. Sales in detail: New South Wales 4.122 bales; scoured 7d@is 1½d; greasy 3¼d@8½d. Queensland 3.145 bales; scoured 5d@ls 1½d; greasy 4d@8½. Victoria 2.488 bales; scoured 7d@ls 3½d; greasy 4¼d@ld. South Australia 422 bales; greasy 4¼d@ld. Tasmania 451 bales; scoured 5¼@9d. New Zealand 2.875 bales; scoured 54@9d. New Zealand 3.875 bales; scoured 5d@ls 1½d; greasy 3¼d@9½d. 3¼d@9¼d.

Washington, May 7.—The weather bureau in its review of the weather crop conditions for the week ended

Generally the week has been very favorable. In the northwestern states much-needed and for the present, ample rains have fallen, which, with unus-ually high temperature, has been favorable for the germination of seeds and rapid growth of all vegetation. Corn planting has progressed rapidly during the week in the northern states

and is generally reported as in a prom-ising condition in the central and south-ern states, although considerable damage has been done by cut worms in some sections.

Winter wheat has been unfavorably

affected by warm weather in Missouri and Kansas. Illinois reports the crap in excellent condition where rains have fallen. In Tennessee it is beginning to

Fruit prospects continue excellent.

HIGH EXPLOSIVES. Each Great Nation Has One and Experi-

ments with It Secretly. Every great power has its own special high explosive with which its shells are filled. All the high power explosives, however, are in a more or less experi-mental stage, and wet gun cotton is mental stage, and wet gun cotton is the material upon which most reliance is placed, says the New York World. There is no doubt of the efficacy of the tremendously powerful explosives ed \$3,601,000. Round amounts of the the tremendously powerful explosives which have recently been invented, so long as they can be exploded among the enemy. When subjected to the enormous impact which is necessary to obtain the required velocity of two thousand feet per second, or there abouts, they are almost as likely to explode before leaving the gun as afterward. If this difficulty is overcome the mext question is to prevent the shell from exploding before penetrating the object which it is fired.

The French pin, their faith to melin-

The French pin, their faith to meli-ite, which has been very thorough tested. Shells filled with this compo-tion have been fired through ten inchof armor without exploding. The shell in this instance left the gun's muzz with a velocity of two thousand fe per second. The English are doubtf of the safety of melinite and use a co position called lyddite. It gets its nan from Lydde, in Wales, where it is man

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6 AKE none of the pretended substitutes for Royal Baking Powder. Royal only is Absolutely Pure.

cents, making a further advance of 1 cent per bushel in a much more rapid style, 63% cents being paid at the close. The corn market was very tame and characteriess until wheat began recovering from its early bearishness. It then showed considerable spirit. The demand for cash corn is good and the speculative crowd express much confidence in purposes at present prices.

but, as on the day before, closed with-cut any material change in prices since yesterday. Hog receipts were 16,000 and the market from 5 to 10 cents

decline, the market later declining with wheat and corn.

Vessel room was in fair demand with large charters at 1½ cents for wheat and I cent for corn and oats to Buffalo. The Eric canal took a lot of wheat from Buffalo to New York at 2% cents. Estimated receipts for tomrrow: Wheat 20 cars, corn 105 cars, oats 125 cars, hogs 24,000 head.

July 6 07% 6 07% 6 05 6 07% Sept 6 27% 6 27% 6 15 6 20 Cash quotations were as follows:

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, May 7.—Hogs—Receipts, 15,000
Market slow; 5 and 10 cents lower than yesterday. Light, \$4.2564.25; mixed, \$4.25
64.55; heavy, \$4.2564.70, some early at \$4.7564.90; pigs. \$4.2564.70.
Cattle—Receipts, \$.000. Market steady to stronger.
Sheep—Receipts, \$.000. Market strong.
Sheep—Receipts, \$.000. Market strong.

and was credited with weakening the feeling in the market at the start. Bradstreet's showed a decrase of 551, 000 bushels and helped the later advance. June sold from 25½ 25% cents to 25% cents, declined to 25½ 625% cents and closed at that price. July started at 25½ cents, sold at 25½ cents, up to 25% cents and rested there.

Provisions were dull and rather weak but, as on the day before, closed with-

WICHITA MARKETS.

Union Stock Yards, May 7. CATTLE. There was practically nothing doing the cattle section today on account light receipts.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES. No. Kind. Ave.
1 heffer 1190
1 cow 1180
1 cow 750
HOGS.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.

The car hogs received today were ship ped on car by S. Rutledge from Colwict ped on car by S. Rutledge from Colwi-and one car from Haven by C. W. Astle.

WOOL MARKET.

Supplementations were as follows:

Flour-Steady:
No. 2 spring wheat, 685,650c No. 3 been dull for the past week and the market has been suggets. Purchasers let has been suggets. Purchasers are only buying from time to time as the No. 2 oats. 285,00 No. 2 white, 285,00 No. 2 barley, 515,00 No. 2 white, 285,00 No. 2 barley, 515,00 No. 2 barley, 515,00 No. 3 been dull for the past week and the market has been suggets. Purchasers are only buying from time to time as the new clips are scarce and are slow in owning to hand. Shearing is in properties imports seed, 8.30 No. 2 barley, 515,00 No. 2 barley, 515,00 No. 3 barley, 515,00 No. 2 b Poston, May 7.—The wool market has een dull for the past week and the mar

ufactured. The lyddite shells have

against earthworks.

Sweden has decided upon the invention of a Swede, which is called bellite. While it has not as much explosive force as many of the other composi-tions, yet it is claimed to be more stable. Its powers of preservation are also much greater. The United States has been making exhaustive trials of a gun cotton known as emmenrite. The air guns of the Vesuvius were designed for discharging emmenrite shells, but they did not prove satisfactory. Recently emmenrite has been successfully fired from a high-power gun with a velocity of over two thousand feet.

In Chicago. Mrs. Hamfat-Your daughter sings beautifully. Is she studying music? Mrs. Sparerib—Indeed she is! She is studying to be a bella-donna!-Puck.

The Law of Nature Defied. Methinks it is the only bird That lives without a flock: No sleep, no food, no home he needs He is the—weather-cock.

CAMPBELL PRODUCE CO. BUTTER, EGGS and POULTRY GAME, FISH, OYSTERS. Telephone 155. Corner 1st and 5 th

WICHITA, KAN. The market remains comparatively unchanged, but we have decided to advance by cent on eggs and drop a cent on butter, as butter is coming poor and is a drug on the market at present. Foultry stands firm at last quotation, except hens, on which we advance be cent. Remember we can handle any quantity of Produce shipped us. We make special bids on large lots. If you have any car lots to offer, let us hear from you. We are in the market to buy, and ALWAYS MEET COMPETITION, as we have told you before. If any of our competitors are above us, don't be afraid to ship us and charge as much as you are offered. Always send your authority along. POULTRY.

Our prices are as follows at present:

Cents per th. The market remains comparatively ur

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BUSINESS IN STOCKS UNUSUALLY WELL DISTRIBUTED.

ncy Greater Than at Any Time Since the Recent Advance-Biggest Total for Many Months--Usually Inactive Stock are Brought Out in Quantity and Sho Gains Worth Something-Buying Mostly at Home, but Foreigners are an Import act Purchasing Factor-Market Close

New York, May 7.-The share specu

lation today was characterized by a degree of buoyancy which has not been exhibited since the recent upward movement went into operation and transactions reached a total which has not been touched in many months. The distribution of business was very wide and some of the low priced an unusually inactive stocks were dealt in largely and made material gains. The buying was mainly for the home account but the foreign houses were also in the market as heavy purchasers and helped the market in its upward march. The shorts again continued the covering move, especially in the grangers with Burlington as the leader. An advancing tendency was manifest ed at the opening of the exchange and while there were occasional reactions due to taking off profits, the losses were merely fractional and were quickly re-covered and a higher range of values was promptly established. There was a little flurry in Reading, which was sold down 11s per cent but recovered & per cent. The sales were made by an interest which has been opposing the reorganization plan. In the final dealings the market was at its best and closed decidedly strong in tone. The few losses made compared with yesterday's close ranged between 1/2 per

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St. L. and S. F.	Gen. 68	

CLOSING STOCKS. Atchison
Adams Express
Alton, Terre Haute
American Express
Baltimore and Onio
Canada Pactific.
Canada Southern
Central Pactific.
Chesepeake and Onio.
Chicago Alton
Chicago Gas
Consolidated Gas.
C. C. C. C. and St. L.
Colorado Coal and Iron
Cotton Oil Certificates.
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Wabash, St. L. and Pac. prefd.
Wabash, St. Louis and Pac. prefd.
Wells Pargo Express
Western Union.
General Electric
National Linssed.

The Japanese are a very polite peo-ple, but they sometimes like to play a joke, in a roundabout oriental way, upon the men of the west. In the days of the Second empire, Baron Gros was sent to Japan to demand the opening of certain ports to French commerce Among the rest he named to the Japanese ministers a certain city. The Cananese functionaries smiled so broad ly when he preferred the request that the French ambassador asked them to tell him what gave them so much amusement; but instead of answering

the Japanese ministers said: "We will open the port in question, my lord, if France in her turn will open a certain port to us." "What port is that?" asked the

"The port of Liverpool." "But, your excellencies" (laughing), "Liverpool is not a French port, but an

"Yes," answered the Japanese, "and the port you named is not in Japan, but in Korea." The French ambassador was compelled to admit that the joke was

against him.

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